any other than the American soil, and their nguage is the language of their native land. After forty years of loyal Americanship I protest against the insinuations that fill the air today. I particularly protest against the inference from interviews held with me that I view the people and officials of New Orleans as murderers, or attach any other blame to the people and officials other blame to them than that of being accessories, if having it in their power to pre-vent the bloodshed, they failed to do so."

Want the Consul Removed. CINCINNATI, April 4.—It is stated in afternoon papers that Dr. Ravogh, the Italian vice-consul here, has been giving his countrymen poor satisfaction. The same article says that copies of certain interviews with Ravogli, which the Italians consider offensive have been sent to Minister Rudini for consideration. It further states that a demand is to be made for the cancellation of his commission.

American Doctor Held in Italy. St. Joseph, Mo., April 4 .- Dr. William S Leach, of St. Joseph, is one of the American citizens held in Italy by the Italian government. His family received dispatches from him yesterday, which was the first knowledge they had he was in Italy.

Wild Catters Want to Go to Rome. McMinnville, Tenn., April 4.-The following message has been sent to Secretary Blaine:

"Two thousand Tennessee boys would like to spend the summer in Rome in company with the Kansas cowboys. Can you furnish transporta-tion? WILD CATTERS.

Riddled the Flag with Bullets. KINGSTON, N. Y., April 4.-A dispatch from Lefevere Falls states that considerable excitement exists there over the outrages of a number of Italians employed in the quarries there. The Italians in question recently held a meeting and adopted resolutions roundly denouncing the conduct of the citizens of New Orleans and American institutions in general. To emphasize their displeasure with the peo-ple and government of the United States the Italians hoisted an American flag on a The quarry-owners hearing this instantly discharged the men. Most of the Italians have since left the place.

THE WRECK OF THE AGUAN.

How Warner Miller and His Party Were Rescued from Roncador Coral Reef.

New York, April 4.-The general manager of the Nicaragua Canal Construction Company received, this morning, a cablegram from the Hon. Warner Miller, at Greytown, Nicaragua, as follows: "Arrived at Greytown Thursday morning, the 2d inst., per steamship Carazo. All safe and in good health." The general manager stated that the steamship Carato in the above dispatch was a from Corn island to the Rone, or reef, where the steamship Aguan, with Mr. Miller's party, en route to Greytown, had grounded on the 26th of March. A later telegram from Mr. Miller states that the steamer Aguan and her cargo will be a total loss. The party will continue the trip as originally laid out.

The correspondent of the Mail and Express sends the following cablegram from Greytown: At 3 o'clock on Thursday morning, March 26, the steamship Aguan grounded on the Roncador coral reef. There was bright moonlight and the sea was calm, with no wind blowing. The Aguan ran on full length. The bells rang to stop, and then to back, but, luckily, the ship held fast, or the disaster would have been far more serious. There was no panic among the passengers. They dressed, and went on deck, and waited for day to break. Dawn showed a small line of surf breaking on the jagged rock a hundred yards ahead and stretching far to the right and left. Breakfast was served, and then the passen-gers, with their hand-baggage, were dis-embarked in small boats and landed safely on Roncador island, six miles to the north One boat was dispatched to Providence isl and, seventy miles to the west, with news of the disaster. During the day all hands were landed, except the captain and seven of the crew. By evening water, food and a few tents were brought ashore. Friday, Saturday and Sunday the small boats plied between the stranded ship and the island, and brought more tents and other articles of necessity. By Sunday the camp was well stocked. All hands were cool and consident. There was a slight trouble with the crew. They got at the liquor aboard ship and struck work. This disturbance was soon quelled. Easter services were held on the sands on Easter morning, at which the English Bishop of Honduras officiated. On Monday all the fresh provisions had given out, although there was still a store of canned goods. The trade-winds temper the hot sunshine during the day, and the nights are clear and splen-

At 4 o'clock in the afternoon of Monday a sail was sighted. Then, as the vessel neared, she was recognized as a fishing hooner from Jamaica, manned with a lack crew from Providence island. On Tuesday morning the President Carazo, a steamer belonging to one of our own pas-sengers, cast ancher off the island. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon all the passengers were put aboard, and a few moments later the Carazo steamed away for Greytown. We arrived at Greytown on Saturday morning, all perfectly well.

Movements of Steamers. LONDON, April 4.-Sighted: Wæsland and La Bretagne, from New York. NEW YORK, April 4.-Arrived: City o Chicago, from Liverpool; Hekla, from Co-

DEATH PREDICTION FULFILLED.

Strange Circumstances Attending the Demise of a Prominent San Francisco Stock Broker.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 4.- The Examiner, in an article on the death of "Cal" Deane, the well-known stock broker, which occurred at Oakland last night, says: "On March 30, one Karl Vogt subscribed to a lengthy document before a notary public, reciting that he [Vogt] had been instructed by Providence to invest a thousand dollars in mining stocks on March 14, and that said stocks were to return him the sum of \$3,750. The value of the stocks depreciated, however, and Vogt, who had made only part payment on the stocks, was sold out He demanded that Deane pay him what he [Vogt] should have made on the investment. On Deane's refusal, Vogt drew up documents, declaring it the will of Provi-

the Irish home-rule movement.

Sorely Afflicted Family. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. PERU, Ind., April 4.- A very sad affliction has befallen the family of Noah Sullivan living near Mexico, Miami county. One of his children, while visiting in Mexico, contracted the disease, and while dangerously ill there, two other children at home also became seriously afflicted with the same cause. The first child died at Mexico, and within ten hours the other two, sick at home, died within a half hour of each other. In the meantime another one of the children took sick and died while at the home of a relative. It was taken home, and thus, at one time, there were two corpses and two dying children in the house at one time.
The funeral of the first two was immediately followed by that of the other two.
Two of the remaining children are now dangerously ill, and little hopes entertained of their recovery.

President Garfield's Brother Dying. GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., April 4.-Thomas Garfield, only brother of the late Presi-dent, who has lived on a farm in James township. Ottowa county, for the last twenty-five years, is slowly dying. He suffered an acute attack of rheumatism last week, and physicians say he cannot recover. He is sixty-eight years of age. His life has been that of a hard-working farmer.

SUGAR TRUST ON THE RACK

Havemyer and Other Officials Again Questioned Concerning the Combine.

Insinuation that Dividends Are Made by Operations in Wall Street Angrily Repelled -Books Cannot Be Produced.

NEW YORK, April 4.- The Sugar Trust committee of the State Senate met again to-day, here. Theodore Havemyer took the stand and testified that a charter for the company was first obtained in Connecticut, but afterwards it was resolved to go to New Jersey and do business. The American Sugar Refining Company had nothing to do with California refineries. There was nothing in the report that the refineries were going to combine and raise prices. The cost of refining here was greater than

in any other country.

A letter was handed the witness, and he was asked to read it and tell what he thought of it. The letter was dated March 24, and was addressed to the chairman of the Sugar Trust investigation committee. It stated that last week an agreement was entered into, to go into effect April 1, be-tween the Sugar Trust and all other American refineries and the principal wholesale grocers of the United States, that the American refiners are to allow or pay the grocers one-quarter of one cent per pound, together with 1 per cent. discount, if the bills for sugar are paid within one week from date of sale. In return the grocers pledged themselves to boycott, or not to purchase any foreign refined sugar abroad or at home. Mr. Havemyer said that the whole thing

was a lie. John E. Searles, the treasurer of the old trust, next took the stand. The witness explained his duties. He had been in the sugar business twenty-five years, and had been treasurer of almost all the constituent companies. When he became treasurer of high hill and then riddled it with bullets. | the American Refining Company he gave

Treasurer Searles was asked why the St. Louis Sugar-refining Company was shut down, and explained it by saying that the refinery in that city was used to refine Louisiana sugar, and that when it entered the American company it was closed and the facilities of the refineries in Louisiana increased. The refinery in St. Louis was put in perfect running order ready to open at twenty-four hours' notice in case of accident to the Louisiana houses. The margin between raw and refined sugar been smaller since the formation the trust. He was of the opinion that if the manufacture of sugar in this country was under one management it could be supplied to the public at cheaper rates and with more profit to the refiner than he could obtain through single opera-

Mr. Searles then explained why a charter was taken out in Connecticut and why the company was not formed then. The charter, he said, would have allowed the refiners to carry on the same business that had been declared illegal in this State, and by advice of counsel the plan was abandoned.

HARSH WORDS AND INSINUATIONS. A long discussion ensued between the witness and Senator Irwin on one hand and Messrs. Havemyer, Root, Harris and Vedder on the other, as to the production of the corporation books, which has hitherto caused so much argument. Mr. Root offered to make an arrangement whereby one or more of the committee could be afforded a private examination of the books about certain points to be settled on in advance, and remarked that he did not see why the committee should wish to examine the books, anyhow.

what many well-informed people say about this matter," he said to Mr. Root. "It is said that your dividends are made by operations in Wall street.' Here Mr. H. O. Havemyer answered sharply: "Well, you may tell the public that all such talk is false; utter rot." Senator Irwin-If I had proof of all I have heard, you all ought to be in State

Mr. Irwin flared up and said he would

enlighten the counsel. "Let me tell you

prison, if the charges are true. Mr. T. A. Havemyer then grew angry. and said he objected to being called a fraud by the chairman, who, he said, was acting as judge, before the case was tried Some lively speeches passed quickly, and then Senator Irwin intimated that they ought to produce their books to disprove all accusations against them. Finally Mr. Searles, under oath, testified that no money paid into the treasury of the trust had been the product of Wall-street operations, and that no such operations had ever been induiged in by the trust.

Mr. Searles stated that to his knowledge there was no arrangement for a division o the country between Claus Spreckles and the American Sugar-refining Company. Mr. Havemyer, he said, had made a sort of an arrangement of a personal nature with Spreckles that did not affect the com-

books of the constituent companies Mr. Harris asked if he would produce the books, and he answered that he was unable to. Even the books of the Havemyer & Elder Company he could not produce, as they were not under his control nor in his possession. The witness said they were removed to New Jersey under his direction. and although he was the president of the American Sugar Refineries Company, he

could not have them brought over here,

as they were the property of the corpora-

The next witness was Edward Adams, an expert accountant, and the American representative of Lloyd, Griffith & Co., of London. He made an examination for the purpose of learning the standing of the Sugar Trust at the end of August, 1890. He only saw the trial balance sheets of the various corporation companies, and after testing them made his report. He did not see any books. The committee then ad-

ARRESTED FOR MURDER.

Strange Story Related by a Mysterious Person Concerning a Fulton County Crime.

special to the Indianapolis Journal. ROCHESTER, Ind., April 4.- Last evening James Oustoff was arrested for the murder of Michael Overmyer on the evening of

Michael Overmyer was a quiet, peacea-

ble and upright man, who, all his life, had

lived in Fulton county. He was between thirty-five and forty years of age, and had been married to his second wife but five weeks. He had concluded to move to dence that Deane should die a "natural but judicial death," at midday, Friday. April 3. Yesterday about noon Deane was taken ill with violent hemorrhages of the stomach, and died late last night. Vogt is missing. Deane is stated to have been a relative of Isaac Butt, M. P., prominent in the lives been a lying on his face in the mud, and his pocket-book, containing \$300, was missing. Search was made, at the time, for the murderer, but to no avail. William H. Overmyer, of Lindsey, O., brother of the murdered man, recalled an incident in which an old German doctor, at Plymouth, Ind., had informed them where stolen articles were, in a robbery which occurred some years ago, remarking that though he did not believe in it, he would see what the doctor knew, and paid him a visit in company with one other man. When they entered the house, though the wizard knew them not, he said, "Gentlemen, you are in trouble. Some one has been killed and some money stolen." He then, though the news of the murder had not reached him, told them just where the

> murder they would find the pocket-book; that the money would be gone, but it would contain some notes written in a heavy hand. The men returned to Rochester, and learned that the pocket-book had been found as the wizard said.

> > Window-Glass Combine,

murder had occurred, accurately describ-

ing the location and the murdered man.

exclusive of rebates to dealers within the next few days. The dealer has already received private advices of the coming advance, which he asserts are positively reliable. For the last year the prices of window and plate-glass reached the lowest mark in years. During the winter just past the price has continued to go down until such low figures have been reached that dealers all over the country have overstocked for no other purpose than that they regard glass a fine investment. After losing money steadily for quite a period, the man-ufacturers have evidently determined to combine, and all the leading factories in the United States will raise their price simultaneously.



GENERAL ALBERT PIKE, Author, Soldier and Head of Southern Scottish Rite Masons, Lately Deceased.

MACQUEARY HAS QUIT OHIO.

The Heretical Divine Savs He Has Had Enough of the Episcopal Church in that State.

CHICAGO, April 4.-The Rev. Howard MacQueary, of Canton, O., who was tried by the Episcopalians for heresy, and suspended from exercising ministerial functions, explained the status of the case in an interview to-day. "As you know," said he, "I was tried by a board of five for denying the virgin birth and the physical resurrection of Christ. The board was a majority of only one against me and fixed the penalty at six months' suspension. After that time I am to be restored upon condition that I will not teach or publish my opinions on the point in question. Bishop Leonard pronounced sentence in accordance with the decision of the trial board, but in doing so made a grievous mistake. He increased the penalty by saving that I should not be reinstated unless I should restrict my opinions. He afterwards wrote me he did this unintentionally. Before receiving his letter I resigned simply to show them that I would not retract. When the mistake was corrected I withdrew my resignation. That is how the matter stands at the present

"Will you comply with the terms of the 'That is a question I have not yet determined upon. As the court which tried me was a dioceasan one, its jurisdiction does not extend out of the State of Ohio. Should comply with their demands I might preach what I liked outside of the State and would be stopped only by another trial and conviction. Should I submit, however, I shall only stoop to conquer. It will be a recognition of the power of the board but not of their rights. I would recognize their powers only to protest against their supposed right."
"What will you do in the meantime?"

"I am going to accept work in any church where it may be offered, irrespective of denomination. If I should become satisfactorily settled before the end of the six months, it is a question whether I shall ever re-enter the Episcopal ministry. One thing is certain, I shall not go back to the State of Ohio. I have had enough of that." Mr. MacQueary will go to New York from here and address the Nineteenth Century Club on the 14th. His subject will be "The Religious Problem." He has enough requests to lecture in various parts of the country to keep him busy for some months,

should he accept them.

BLOOMINGTON'S DOUBLE TRAGEDY. Sister and Daughter of the Victims Tells How the Deed Was Committed.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. BLOOMINGTON, Ind., April 4. - At the coroner's inquest, Minnie, the eleven-yearold sister of Ward Demaree, who killed his mother and himself, yesterday, said that she was sitting in the room, reading a book, H. O. Havemyer was next called under a | when her attention was drawn to her mothsubpona requiring him to produce the er's bed in time to see her brother plunge his father's razor into her mother's neck. Her mother, in bed, low of fever, was partly raised up and waved her hand to Minnie, which the little girl understood to mean escape. She fled out of a back door and walked around in the back

yard, crying and waiting for her sister Anna to come from school. Almost fifteen minutes afterward she peeped in at the window and saw her brother cut his throat, from ear to ear, while in a kneeling pasition. Anna came soon afterward, and gave the alarm. As yet no written statement has been made. The coroner thinks it was the act of an insane man.

Gen. Sherman's Remains to Be Removed. St. Louis, April 4.—The remains of Gen. William T. Sherman are to be removed, and a detachment of United States troops that have been detailed to do guard duty at the grave will watch over the remains in their new and temporary resting place. Before his death Gen. Sherman gave directions as to his last resting place, and it is in order that his wishes may be complied with that the remains will be temporarily transferred from the Sherman plot in Calvary to the receiving vault of the cemetery. It was the wish of the General that his remains should not be interred in an ordinary grave in the earth, but that they be placed in an apartment under ground which should be built of stone and concrete, and covered over with a heavy marble slab. The sepulcher will be built large enough to receive the remains of the General, his wife and two children that now rest beside him in Calvary.

Passenger Train Wrecked. WILKESBARRE, Pa., April 4.- The Buffalo express train on the Lehigh Valley road, which left here at 1 o'clock this morning, was wrecked at Port Bowkley station, five miles from here. One end of the train of coal cars that were switched in at that place in some manner was allowed to project on the main track. The passenger train, which runs through at about forty miles an hour, orashed into the cars before the engineer could apply the brakes. The cab of the engine was badly torn away on the right side, the front of the baggage-car wrecked and one of the Pullman sleepers derailed. The escape of the passengers was marvelous. The engineer and baggagemaster were injured, the latter slight-The passengers were pretty well shaken up and badiy frightened, but all

escaped unhurt. Combined to Fight an English Syndicate. MINNEAPOLIS, April 4 .- Ten Minneapolis milis, with a daily output of nearly twenty thousand barrels of flour, have formed a combination against the great Pittsburg-Washburn English syndicate. The owners of the mills claim that they were comown or go under the wing of the great in-He also gave a description of two other stitution managed by C. A. Pillsbury. It is men in the fight, and told them that if understood that the opposition mills will, they would look on the bank of a little | in a few months, be placed under one manstream a few rods west of the scene of the agement, with one set of grain men and all the other economies of the concerted action.

> Butcher Inherits a Fortune. NASHVILLE, April 4.—H. P. Lewes, a butcher of Florence, Ala., received official word yesterday that he had fallen heir to a fortune in Portsmouth, England. The estate is worth \$28,000,000, of which Mr. Lewes has one-fifth interest. It was left him by his grandmother, who died recently. Mr. Lewes stated that he had a great uncle who was also a millionaire, and has no in

BOOTH WILL REST A YEAR.

Speech Last Night to a Brooklyn Audience-Will Try to Regain His Health.

NEW YORK, April 4.-Edwin Booth ended his season this afternoon in the Brooklyn Academy of Music, giving a performance of "Hamlet." After the curtain fell the applause was prodiglous and wildly enthusiastic, and it continued for a long time. The tragedian came forward and spoke as

"Ladies and Gentlemen-I scarcely know what to say, and, indeed, I can only make my usual speech-of thanks and gratitude. I thank you for your great kindness. It will never be forgotten. I hope that this is not the last time I shall have the honor of appearing before you. When I come again I hope that I shall be able to give greater attention than I have ever given to what-ever part I may play. I hope that my health and strength may be improved, so that I can serve you better, and I shall always try to deserve the favor you have Mr. Booth withdrew amid copious plandits, and the immense audience slowly dispersed. It is understood he will take a year's rest.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The Colorado Legislature appropriated \$100,000 for an exhibit at the world's fair. Clifton Bell, one of the leading sporting men of the West, died at Denver, Col., on Friday night. Secretary of War Proctor arrived at San

Francisco, yesterday, from Los Angeles. He will leave for Washington in about a week. The Governor of Maine and Council, at a meeting on Friday, voted to remove Judge Charles S. Hamilton, of the Biddeford mu-

nicipal court. In the case against Erastus Wiman, who was sued for \$50,000 for libel, by Miss Henrietta Woods, of Brooklyn, the jury disagreed. This is the fourth trial of the case. C. A. Mather, the Berlin, Wis., banker, was yesterday held for trial in \$10,000 bail. He is charged with receiving money on deposit when he knew the bank was insolvent.

Albert Bemis, who was arrested at Canton, O., a week ago, on a charge of shooting at Miss Carrie Schneider with intent to kill, committed suicide yesterday by tak-

Judge Baker and Doctor Howard, who were arrested at Fayetteville. Ark., Friday for swindling Alliance Treasurer Dowell out of \$3,000, have been placed under

Old "Pap" Campbell, once a well-known character among river steamboat men, and who lived in Yankton, S. D., practically as a hermit for ten years, was found dead in his room yesterday.

At Burgoon, O., yesterday, Mrs. William Murphy locked herself in a room, took a dose of carbolic acid and cut her throat. She tried to drown herself a week ago by jumping into a cistern. Arthur Dunn, who shot and killed Frank Waters, at New Orleans, on the 20th of March, had a preliminary examination yesterday, and was sent before the Criminal

Court under \$6,000 bond R. Hoover, a Chicago drummer, died in jail at Corsicana, Tex., Friday night. He was under sentence to the penitentiary for theft. He declared his innocence of the charge, on his death-bed.

Pitcher Mark Baldwin, who was arrested recently for conspiring to induce King, the St. Louis ball-club's pitcher, to jump his contract, was yesterday released, but was immediately rearrested on a similar charge. The miners in Nevada are suffering terribly from the ravages of the grip. Out of six hundred men employed in one mine, near Carson City, over four hundred have been prostrated, and one hundred have

Chicago's mortuary record for the past week is worse than that for the preceeding seven days, which is considered decidedly alarming. Last week there was a total of 951 deaths, an increase of seventeen over the previous week, At the annual meeting of the American Medical Association, to be held in Wash-

ington on May 5, a proposition for a pan-American congress of physicians and sur-geons, to be held at Chicago during the world's fair, will be considered. George Hoover, editor of the Osage County Times, was shot at Osage City. Kan., last night, by James McNales, the bullet lodging in the left temple. Hoover cannot live. The shooting resulted from a personal trouble of long standing.

State Superintendent of Insurance Wildder was fined \$50 and costs, at Topeka, Kan., for contempt of court in revoking the charter of the Capital Insurance Company, after having been enjoined from doing it. The court restored the charter to the com-

During the week ending at noon yesterday there was 1.100 deaths in New York city, against 895 for the preceding week. There were fifty-six deaths from la grippe. against ten from similar causes of the week before. The police department has 244 of its force on the sick list.

Judge Sage, of the United States Court at Cincinnati, has rendered an opinion in the case of the Roll Paper Company, of St. Louis, vs. Edward B. Weston, involving the validity of the patent of the Hopking roll paper-holder and cutter. The decision is for the complainant in every point. A meeting of representatives of each of the various medical licensing boards in the

United States will be held in Washington, on May 6, to make the rules, laws and examinations of the boards and to effect a permanent organization. Licensing boards now control medical practice in twenty-one

Henry County Historical Society.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. NEW CASTLE, Ind., April 4.- The Henry County Historical Society held its fifth annual meeting in the court-room here today. The papers read and other proceedings were quite interesting, and were as follows: "The Fall of Richmond," Hon. M. L. Bundy: recitation. Miss Alethe Veach: "Fall Creek Township," N. R. Elliott; A report on recent mound excavations made under the auspices of the society, with illustrations by Hon. T. B. Redding and a short talk upon asbestus, its nature, character and uses, by B. S. Parker. The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year; President, W. H. Elliott; vice-president, N. H. Ballenger; secretary, A. D. Ogborn; treasurer, Benj. S. Parker; executive committee, T. B. Redding, N. R. Elliott, Mrs. Mary Smith and the officers

ex officio. The society then adjourned until the semi-annual meeting, to be held on the first Saturday in October. Soon Tired of Freedom.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. SEYMUOR, Ind., April 4.- Joseph Combs, an alleged horse-thief, who escaped from the Brownstown jail on Thursday night, fled westward over the line of the Evansville & Richmond railway. The night was dark and stormy, and in crossing a high treatle Combs lost his footing and fell to the ground, receiving numerous bruises. This morning he appeared at Cortland, and, after begging a breakfast, requested that he be taken back to jail, which was done.

Republican Nominations. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. GREENFIELD, Ind., April 4.- The Republicans of this city nominated candidates for the city offices to-day, as follows: Mayor, John Corcoran; clerk, John D. Meek; treasurer, Elbert Tyner; marshal, J. C. Patterson; conneilmen, John W. Cooper, John B. Huston and Taylor Warford.

Embezzler Rearrested. CHICAGO, April 4.-Thomas Keires, who is wanted in Brazil, Ind., where he is under sentence of five years for embezzling \$2,700 of the funds of a Catholic society of which he was treasurer, was arrested in Chicago to-day and taken back to Indiana to-night. Keiros broke jail seven weeks ago, while his case was pending before the Supreme Court. When arrested he was at work as a weigher in a coal yard here.

Murdered and Thrown in a Mud-Hole. Window-Glass Combine.

St. Louis, April 4.—The war that has been waging between the manufacturers of plate and window glass for the past year, has reached its end, and it is predicted by a leading St. Louis dealer that the price of glass will advance from 20 to 30 per cent.,

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Kellum's head, such as brass knuckles would produce. The face was driven into the mud in a shockingly brutal manner. Yesterday a large sum of money was paid him, and it is thought that robbery was the object. If this was the case the crime was a fruitless one, for the money was left by the unfortunate farmer at a bank in

GAVE \$9,000 FOR \$100.

California Mine-Owner Swindled by Purchasing Bogus Gold Bricks.

San Francisco, April 4.- Thomas Fitch, the silver-tongued orator and politician, has been "bunkoed" out of thousands of dollars, and what is more surprising, "bunkoed" by about the oldest device known to confidence men. He has given up his money on the old gold-brick swindle. Mr. Fitch was approached in Los Angeles by a finely-dressed gentleman, who would not tell his business until Mr. Fitch assured him that he would regard all that he communicated as most secret. Then the stranger unfolded his tale. He came in the interest of certain people who proposed to sell the output of a Mexican gold mine. They could not put the gold on the market themselves because of the manner of their fetting it. Mr. Fitch owns a mine, and it had occurred to the stranger that Mr. Fitch could dispose of the contraband gold as the output of his own mine. They were to bring up from Sonora in the neighborhood of \$15,000 worth of gold a month. To commence with, the stranger sold two bars of alleged gold to Mr. Fitch for \$9,000. Mr. Fitch later found the bars contained about \$100 worth of gold. He has not seen anything of the strangers since.

Business Embarrassments. PITTSBURG, Pa., April 4.—The famous old Monongahela House is again in trouble. It is the oldest hostlery in the city, and, after the fire, it was leased by Holmes & Arnold, who spent a small fortune in refitting the place. To-day an execution was issued against C. S. Holmes, one of the proprietors for \$21,000 due on a note by Capt S. tors, for \$21,000 due on a note by Capt. S. S. Brown. Following this, other judgments for supplies, etc., making a total of nearly twice that amount. C. S. Holmes is also a partner in the firm of W. K. Holmes & Son, dent the trouble will be bridged over. He lately married a daughter of Francis Mur-

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 4.- Joseph Cohr Co., wholesale clothiers, at 417 and 419 Delaware street, made an assignment late this afternoon for the benefit of their cred itors. The habilities of the firm are \$200, 000, with assets in excess of that amount by about \$50,000. The firm was a heavy in-dorser for Seligman, May & Co., of New York, who failed a year ago, and the obligations thus incurred are given as the cause of the Cohn failure. The firm expects to pay all claims in full and resume business

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April4.-A. B. Burnham & Co., tinware and stoves, assigned at Lou-isville, Ky., to-day. Liabilities, \$25,000; as-sets nominally \$50,000. It is believed that the firm will pay in full.

Canadian Reciprocity Negotiations. OTTAWA, Ont., April 4.—Sir Charles Tupper reached this city from Washington this morning. Directly on his arrival a meeting of the Cabinet was held, lasting two and a half hours, after which Sir Charles Tupper, Sir John Thompson, Minster of Justice, and Hon. G. E. Foster. Minister of Finance, left by the 2 o'clock train for New York. There is great rejoicing in government circles over the success of Sir Charles Tupper's mission to Washington. The fact that the government organs said the high commissioner went there simply to confer with Secretary Blaine shows that affairs took a brighter turn than had been anticipated by the gov-ernment. It is learned that the Canadian covernment, at the conference to be held in Washington Monday, will submit a propo sition which, it is hoped, will be sat-isfactory to Mr. Blaine. This will not propose any radical departure from the present policy of protection, but will be based on mutual concessions which will not sacrifice rested interests.

Daughters of Rebekah Banquet. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

PERU, Ind., April 4.-A most enjoyable demonstration in Odd-fellowship occurred in this city, last night, in the reception, degree team work and banquet given by Star Lodge, No. 100, Daughters of Rebekah, of Peru, to Maria Lodge, Daughters of Rebekah of Kokomo. Eighty visitors from Kokomo were in attendance, most of them women, and were guests of members here during their stay. The degree team of Kokomo superbly rendered the initiatory degree on five applicants, after which the banquet came, followed by toasts, songs and adlresses. Star Lodge is in a highly flourishing condition, having nearly 150 members, and degree work to perform at almost every meeting.

Tug-Boat Sunk and Three Men Drowned. CLEVELAND, O., April 4. - The tug Tempest, owned by the Cleveland Saw-mill and Lumber Company, went to the bottom of Lake Erie late this afternoon, near the entrance to the harbor. Howard Loomis, engineer, William Hughes, fireman, and Harry Hershey, raftsman, were in the engine-room and went down with the tug. apt. John Murray and a raftsman escaped The tug was towing a raft of logs from the lake shore west of the city, and as she turned to enter the river was caught in a trough of the sea and overturned. She went to the bottom like a stone.

Acts of the Nebraska Legis! ure. LINCOLN, Neb., April 4.- The t enty-second session of the Nebraska Legislature is a thing of the past, both houses adjourning sine die shortly after midnight to-night. Among the most important bills passed are hose providing for an appropriation for drought sufferers in the western part of the State, the Australian ballot bill, an appropriation of \$50,000 for the world's fair, reapportionment of the congressional dis-

tricts and the repeal of the sugar bounty.

Obituary. HUNTSVILLE, Ala., April 4.—Hon. Peter M. Dox died in this city last night, in the seventy-eighth year of his age. Judge Dox was born at Geneva, N. Y. He was in the Legislature and a judge of the County Court there. He moved to Alabama in 1855. In 1865 he represented Madison county in the revisional constitutional convention, and represented the Eighth Alabama district in the Forty-first and Forty-second Congresses.

Bishop Gilmour Dying. ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., April 4.-Father G F. Houck, secretary to Bishop Gilmour, of Cleveland, O., reports the chances of the recovery of the Bishop very slight. He has been prostrated here for several weeks with a complication of several diseases. Bishop McCloskey, of Louisville, arrived at the bedside of the dying prelate to-night. Bishop Gilmour is famous in Ohio for his stand against taxing parochial schools.

Mrs. Potter Palmer Wants No Recompense. CHICAGO, April 4 .- At to-day's meeting of the world's tair national commissioners a communication was received from Mrs. Potter Palmer, president of the woman's commission, saying that she would only accept so much of the \$5,000 salary voted her as she was obliged to pay her private secretary. An attempt to annul and then to cut in half the salary of \$3,000 allowed to Secretary Phœbe Cousins was defeated.

Opposed to Changing the Laws, OTTAWA, Ill., April 4.—Delegates from all the cities along the Illinois valley, from Peoria to Joliet, assembled in convention here to-day, and passed resolutions absolutely refusing to consent to any amendment or the repeal of the present drainage law, the statute under which the canal connecting Lake Michigan and the Illinois river at Chicago was to be constructed.

Out of Feed for Their Stock SIOUX CITY, Ia., April 4.—There is almost a total destitution among farmers in this region of feed for live stock, and cattle are suffering extremely. There are reports of actual starvation in several localities. Hay 18 \$15 to \$20 per ton, and some farmers have almost given away their herds to save them from starvation.

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graph, telephone and electric-light com-panies, who have suffered a wholesale destruction of their lines. At a late hour tonight not a single wire is working to any point. The telegraph and telephone companies are taking messages and sending them to different points (the nearest thirty-six miles) by train, which is the quickest and only service available.

A REAL LIFE DRAMA.

The Boy Was To'd to Wait for an Answer and What Came of It. San Francisco Examiner.

Every one has admired the supurb resi dence, No. 999 Faralone street. It belongs -or rather did-to Parnell McCorken, the capitalist. About three months ago he resolved to take his family on a European tour. When about to leave his office for the train he sent a messenger boy out to his residence with a note, which he thought might possibly reach his wife before she left the house. The boy was instructed to wait for an answer-bear that in mind-"wait for an answer."

It is supposed that the said boy reached his destination some time early in the fol-lowing week. At all events, as he did not return, McCorken forgot the circumstance and proceeded East with his family. Mc-Corken was not a superstitious man, but he had hardly been insulated in his berth by the Pullman porter before he was filled

with a gloomy presentment of evil.

In vain he endeavored to shake off the foreboding of disaster that depressed him. It followed him to London, Paris, Switzer-land, everywhere. Worn to a shadow, he finally turned his face homeward. As he stepped from the ferry on his arrival here he sprang into a carriage and was rapidly driven to his dwelling, which he approached with a feeling of inexplicable ter-

As he ascended his steps he beheld calmly slumbering before the door a messenger boy -McCorken's note of three months bac still protruding from his pocket. He had been provided with a couple of blankers by the company, which also furnished him with three coffee-and-doughnut rations per He was waiting for an answer! With

oud shriek the once happy capitalist fell to the earth a ruined man. But why linger upon the sad facts? Any clever school-boy can in a few hours figure the amount of the District Messenger Company's bill against McCorken, including 'carfare both ways." That miserable victim's estate is now in the hands of the sherff, and according to a computation made by that gentleman with a piece of chalk on the almshouse fence, he is still \$1,600,042.23 in debt to the company, although there is some talk of the superintendent throwing

We All Est Too Much.

off the odd 23 cents.

"Nearly everybody eats far more than is necessary," said the doctor. "Among my patients those who eat the least get over their troubles the quickest, while those who eat the heaviest are ill the oftenest. My experience shows that half the ailments of life are brought about by overeating or drinking. I myself take a light breakfast, perhaps eggs with toast, or fish with potatoes, or a bit of cold chicken, or something of the kind, and a cup of coffee. At noon take milk, with a few crackers, or else some California fruits. At6 I have a hearty, but not heavy dinner, with soup, fish, meat vegetables, bread and a few glasses of light wine. I do not eat over a pound and a half of solid food a day, though I am more robust than most men, and am never troubled with any of the hundred complaints that are the result of overeating. I advise you to eat lightly, be careful of what you eat, and take your time in eating. This looks like commonplace advice, but my fee for it, without any pills, is \$10."

The Road Home Is Straight.

Philadelphia North American. No man finding it impossible to stand with us, and against the world, is under any stress to continue a citizen. Quite the reverse, indeed. We want no telescopi citizens; persons who go about with their old livery concealed beneath the American flag. Men who come here to stay and participate in governing must be American from crown to sole. This is to Dr. Verdi and all who disport themselves under the badge of American citizenship, yet talk about what the "Italian colony" will demand and do. Gentlemen, it is no further to Italy than it was from Italy, and the way is clear.

Wide Crevasse in an Old Levee. GREENVILLE, Miss., April4.-Alarge levee. two miles below Longwood, on the Mississippi side, about thirty miles south of Greenville, broke about 12 o'clock last night. The crevasse was 200 feet wide at noon to-day. Efforts to tie the ends are being made. Most of the low lands of Issa-quena county, a portion of Sharkey, and several fine plantations in South Washington county, will be flooded. The levee was an old one, and the break was altogether unexpected.

Shot While Defer a Woman. mas McAuliffe CHICAGO, April 4 .brother of the pugilist, . ck McAuliffe, and Albert Brady, a clerk, were severely wounded to-night in a saloon, during a roy over a dissolute woman. McAuliffe and Brady attempted to defend the woman from John Slobs, a car driver, who was beating her. Slobs pulled a revolver and shot McAuliffe through the jaw and left hip and Brady in the left knee, Slobs then made his escape.

Ex-Editor West Indicted Again. CHICAGO, April 4.- James J. West, the former editor of the Chicago Times, was reindicted by the grand jury to-day on the charge of fraudulent issue of stock of the Times company in 1888. Three indictments were found, and they will take the place of the former indictments on which West was given the five-year penitentiary sentence that the Supreme Court recently reversed for error.

The Vassar Way.

"Shall I shovel off the sidewalk, ma'am?" inquired the boy with the snow shovel. "No; I may need the sidewalk again," re-plied the good woman, who happened to be a Vassar graduate, "You may remove the snow, however."

Mr. and Mrs. Ensley Entertain.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Ensley were received by them at their home, No. 830 North Meridian street, last evening. It was an event of home-like hospitality, the host and hostess, assisted by their sons and daughters, giving to the evening everything that would add to the pleasure of the guests. Light refreshments were served, not the least relishable of which were fine oranges from Mr. Ensley's California grove. Among the guests were Judge and Mrs. Olds. Judge McBride, ex-Secretary of State and Mrs. Griffin, ex-Supreme Court Clerk and Mrs. Noble, Mr. and Mrs. Stanton J. Peelle, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Adams, Mr. Moses G. McLain, Major and Mrs. Irvin Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. Hen-ry Malpas, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Clark and others.

The Pool Tournament.

The pool-tournament games yesterday re- | It cures all humors, from the ordisulted: Afternoon-Rhinehart, 100; Wyatt, 63. Evening-Brown, 100; Rieser, 74. To morrow afternoon Kesler will play Hettinger, and to-morrow evening McGuire and Long will contest. Following is the score: Won. Lost. Played.

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A COURT OF CROWS.

Strange Sight Witnessed by a Traveler in Kansas-Executing a Sentence.

I never would have believed stories told about crow justice had I not attended their "court." One beautiful day in December I was riding on the public road, two miles north of Hamlin, Kan. I had noticed great flocks of crows flying about me, and when nearing a cottonwood grove, in making a turn to the right, I saw hundreds of them perched in the trees in solid lines to the end of the rows. I had read somewhere that crows were well-governed birds, and when I saw this fine-looking body I judged that it sat there to give trial to an offender of some sort, I stopped my horse, half fearing the crafty birds would fly-adjourn court or continue the case. To my delight no attention was paid to me-it takes a man with a gun to disturb these mocking, impudent black-legs. I was just in time to hear

From a tree at the head of a row, where

and see all that was done.

ten crows sat, there came such loud and rapid cawing as I never heard before from so few throats, and every now and then all the flock joined in making the noise, and the chorus thus furnished was all that could have been asked if noise was desired. After two or three minutes of this racket a silent rest was taken, which was broken by a single crow, who made a little talk in the crow dialect, followed quickly by others. Things became more dignified and my interest in the proceedings was so intense that when a fine, fat bird submitted a few remarks and was applauded by general cawing from every bird present I could scarcely keep from clapping my hands. Suddenly twelve crows flew down the lines twice and back, and all was still as they did so. I was amused and startled. And I believe it was. After two or three crows had again spoken, the twelve flew down the lines once more; but this time there were fierce caws from every crow in answer to caws from the twelve. My fancy explained: The jury was seeking its verdict in public opinion, and the excited crows, like revolutionary mobs, demanded blood. Back to their perches for the last time flew the crows, and again a silence fell, not unlike the abrupt hush of courtroom whispers as the prisoner steps for-ward to learn the worst. But I could distinguish no criminal. As I looked for the poor fellow there was a great angry caw from every crew, and all flew to the center

what they had done. A dam across the Iowa river at Coralsville, Ia., gave way yesterday, flooding the

valley and causing much damage.

of the line, where, as I live, they tore three

of their unsuspecting kind in shreds, leav-

ing only a few feathers to float upward and

out of sight as they separated and noise-

lessly flew away, seemingly satisfied with



"WHAT AN ASS AM I!"

The ass thought himself as fine looking as his neighbor, the horse, until he, one day, saw himself in the lookingglass, when he said "What an ass am I!" Are there not scores of people who cannot see themselves as others see them? They have bad blood, pimples, blotches, eruptions, and other kindred disfigurements. All these annoying things could be entirely eradicated. and the skin restored to "lily white-

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